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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

JAVIER ALFONSO LOPEZ LOPEZ,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 1:22-CR-00267-JLT-SKO
STIPULATION SETTING CHANGE OF PLEA
HEARING; ORDER

STIPULATION

Plaintiff United States of America, by and through its counsel of record, and defendant, by and through defendant's counsel of record, hereby stipulate as follows:

1. By previous order, this matter was set for trial on October 16, 2024.
2. By this stipulation, defendant now moves to vacate the trial as to him only, and set a change of plea hearing on December 2, 2024, and to exclude time between October 16, 2024, and December 2, 2024, under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), B(ii) [Local Code T4].
3. The parties agree and stipulate, and request that the Court find the following:
 - a) The government has represented that the discovery associated with this case includes wiretap recordings, thousands of pages of investigative reports, video, audio recordings, cell phone extractions, and other voluminous materials. On or about January 13, 2023, the government produced approximately 430 GBs of supplemental discovery.

b) Counsel for defendant desire additional time to consult with their client, prepare for the change of plea hearing, and gather materials for sentencing.

c) Counsel for defendants believe that failure to grant the above-requested continuance would deny him/her the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence.

d) The government does not object to the continuance.

e) Based on the above-stated findings, the ends of justice served by continuing the case as requested outweigh the interest of the public and the defendant in a trial within the original date prescribed by the Speedy Trial Act.

4. For the purpose of computing time under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161, et seq., within which trial must commence, the time period of October 16, 2024 to December 2, 2024, inclusive, is deemed excludable pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), [Local Code T4] because it results from a continuance granted by the Court at defendant's request on the basis of the Court's finding that the ends of justice served by taking such action outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

5. Nothing in this stipulation and order shall preclude a finding that other provisions of the Speedy Trial Act dictate that additional time periods are excludable from the period within which a trial must commence.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

Dated: September 5, 2024

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/s/ ANTONIO J. PATACA
ANTONIO J. PATACA
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Dated: September 5, 2024

/s/ LUIS BUSTAMANTE
Counsel for Defendant
JAVIER ALFONSO LOPEZ
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ORDER

IT IS SO FOUND.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **September 5, 2024**


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE